

ABSTRACT

WA-II-180

Early 19th Century

Stone Farmhouse

Hagerstown Vicinity

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

AND/OR COMMON

Stone Farmhouse

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

Cool Hollow Road

CITY, TOWN

☒ VICINITY OF Hagerstown

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

6

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Washington

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY

☐ DISTRICT☒ BUILDING(S)☐ STRUCTURE☐ SITE☐ OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

☐ PUBLIC☒ PRIVATE☐ BOTH

PUBLIC ACQUISITION

☐ IN PROCESS☐ BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

☒ OCCUPIED☐ UNOCCUPIED☐ WORK IN PROGRESS

ACCESSIBLE

☐ YES: RESTRICTED☐ YES: UNRESTRICTED☒ NO

PRESENT USE

☒ AGRICULTURE☐ MUSEUM☐ COMMERCIAL☐ PARK☐ EDUCATIONAL☒ PRIVATE RESIDENCE☐ ENTERTAINMENT☐ RELIGIOUS☐ GOVERNMENT☐ SCIENTIFIC☐ INDUSTRIAL☐ TRANSPORTATION☐ MILITARY☐ OTHER**4 OWNER OF PROPERTY**

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Telephone #:

STREET & NUMBER

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CITY, TOWN

Hagerstown

VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

Maryland 21740

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,

REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Washington County Court House

Liber #: 375

Folio #: 699

STREET & NUMBER

West Washington Street

CITY, TOWN

Hagerstown

STATE

Maryland 21740

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

Maryland Historical Trust Survey # 2030

DATE

Summer 1967

☐ FEDERAL ☒ STATE ☐ COUNTY ☐ LOCALDEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

Maryland Historical Trust

CITY, TOWN

Annapolis

STATE

Maryland 21401

7 DESCRIPTION

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CONDITION		CHECK ONE	CHECK ONE
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT	<input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED	<input type="checkbox"/> UNALTERED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL SITE
<input type="checkbox"/> GOOD	<input type="checkbox"/> RUINS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ALTERED < 50%	<input type="checkbox"/> MOVED
<input type="checkbox"/> FAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED		DATE _____

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

This farmhouse is located on the south side of Cool Hollow Road, between U.S. Route 40 and 40-A southeast of Hagerstown in Washington County, Maryland. It is situated on an area of level ground and faces east.

The house is a two story, seven bay building constructed of roughly coursed native limestone. Raised "V" mortar joints remain. Decorative masonry consists of wedge shaped stones suggesting keystones centered above the windows. The two northern bays are recessed beneath a double porch which is included under the main roof span.

Windows and doors are aligned with each other in the walls. They have wide frames, their joints secured with wooden pegs and trimmed with ogee molding. Most windows have two over two pane late 19th century sashes but some nine over six pane sashes remain. On the north and west walls windows retain pairs of shutters with louvered top sections and paneled lower parts. Hinge pins for shutters remain in front elevation window frames.

The main entrance is located in the third bay from the south end or the center of the forward five bays of the front elevation. The entrance has a semi-circular arched top formed by an irregular structural arch of stone, brick and wood. Lining the arch are pieces of wood to which is applied a thin veneer with a reeded surface. At intervals along the jambs and around the arch are wooden nailing blocks onto which was secured a wooden entrance piece which has since been removed. Filling the arch above the door is a semi-circular fanlight with delicate ray muntins with curved decorative work between the rays. The door has six raised panels and paneled jambs. Large round cut stone blocks provide steps to the entrance. Other doors much plainer in appearance are located beneath the double porch in the second bay from the north end at the first and second story levels. The double porch is supported by chamfered square posts and is enclosed with a plain balustrade.

The roof is sheathed with standing seam sheet metal and terminates with barge boards set directly against the end walls. Brick chimneys are located inside the gables and at the interior of the house at the point where the front wall is recessed. Beneath the eaves boxing is a course of cornice molding.

Just north of the house is a board and batten sided out kitchen with gingerbread trim along its barge and eaves areas.

A small frame bank barn and frame sheds are located east of the house. The buildings appear to be in good to excellent condition and stand on a small farm containing 56.5 acres.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

8 SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD		AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899 early	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)	
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION			

SPECIFIC DATES

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

This farmhouse is an excellent example of an early 19th century rural dwelling with certain architectural refinements. One of the most prominent architectural features of this house is its front door with Federal reeded trim and delicate fanlight. The original entrance piece is unfortunately missing. The general form of the house with a recessed double porch, follows a prominent regional vernacular type associated with the 19th century. This property is said to have been in the Grey family during much of the 19th century.

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MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY 56.5 acres

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE

COUNTY

STATE

COUNTY

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

Paula Stoner Dickey, Consultant

ORGANIZATION

Washington County Historical Sites Survey

DATE

March 1978

STREET & NUMBER

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CITY OR TOWN

Hagerstown

STATE

Maryland 21740

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Cool Hollow Road
Hagerstown Vicinity

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Oct 1915

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Cool Hollow Road
Hagerstown Vicinity

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W.H. II 12

NW

Oct 1915

Stone Farmhouse

Cool Hollow Road
Hagerstown Vicinity

PAULA STONER D.D. 12
COOL HOLLOW, HAGERSTOWN, MD.
HISTORICAL WILDS SURVEY



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E. Dickey

Oct. 1975

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Hagerstown Vicinity

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